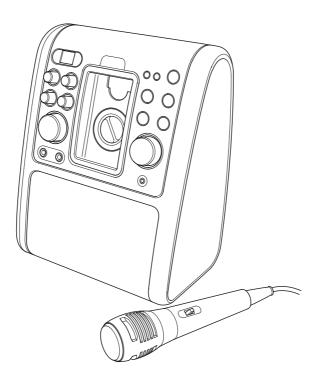
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XB7CDGIP Karaoke System with Universal Dock for iPod User Guide



IMPORTANT: Please read all instructions carefully before use and keep for future reference

## Introduction

Thank you for choosing this Karaoke System with iPod Docking Station. Not only can you and your friends sing along to all your favourite songs, you can also listen to your tracks on your iPod.

It's really simple to use: you can fully operate both the Karaoke System and the iPod using the Remote Control. You can even connect auxiliary devices to it.

Throughout this User Guide, the Karaoke System with Universal Dock for iPod will be referred to as the Karaoke System.

#### Safety is important

Use of any electrical equipment should be undertaken with care. Please read the safety section on page 21 before using your Karaoke System. This appliance is for household use only.



An audio system that allows docking of an iPod and which fully supports the iPod menu system.



CD+G disc, also known as CD+ Graphics are audio discs which contain backing tracks and lyrics. These are specifically designed for Karaoke Systems which are designed to display on-screen lyrics.

#### **Key features**

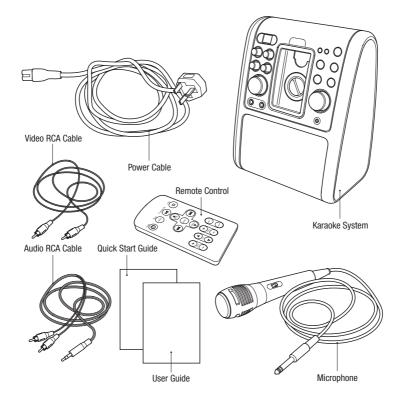
#### Karaoke with CD+G discs

You and your friends can sing along to all your favourite songs using CD+G discs. The Karaoke System can be connected to a TV to display on-screen lyrics. Your voice and the backing tracks will be played through either the built in speaker or a connected Sound System/TV.

#### iPod docking station

Any of the iPods listed on page 14 can be connected to the Karaoke System, which allows all your songs to be played through the Karaoke System's speakers or a connected Sound System/TV.

## What's in the box?

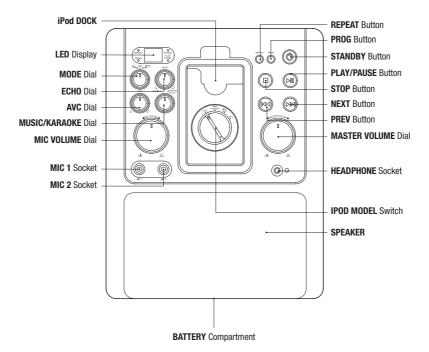


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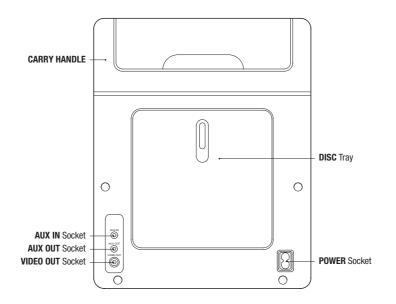
#### **Front view**



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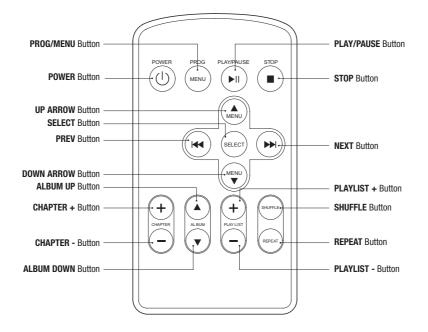
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## 01 Your Karaoke System

## **Remote control**

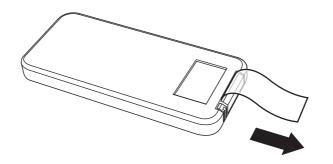


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#### Using the remote control

The Remote Control can be used to operate the Karaoke System. Before using the Remote Control, the Safety Tab should be removed.

Simply pull out the Safety Tab from the Remote Control as shown below.



To use the Remote Control, simply direct it towards the front of the Karaoke System and press the desired buttons.

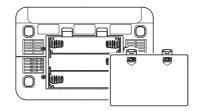
**DON'T FORGET!** When replacing the battery make sure that you use the same size and type.

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## Power the Karaoke System using batteries

The Karaoke System can be powered using eight 'C' type batteries.

Insert eight batteries (not supplied) into the Battery Compartment at the bottom of the Karaoke System observing the polarity markings on the base of the Battery Compartment.



**DON'T FORGET!** When replacing the batteries make sure that you use the same size and type.

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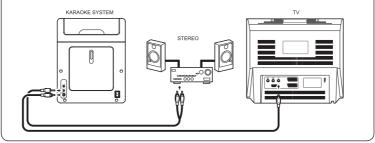
The Karaoke System can be connected to either the TV or a Stereo Sound System using the supplied RCA Cables.

To connect the Karaoke System to a TV only, follow the instructions provided in the Quick Start Guide.

To connect the Karaoke System to a TV and Stereo Sound System:

Use the Yellow RCA Cable to connect the TV and Karaoke System.

Use the Red and White RCA Cable to connect the Stereo Sound System and Karaoke System.



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### Setting up the Karaoke System

Plug the Microphone Jack into the MIC 1 Socket on the front of the Karaoke System.

Connect the Karaoke System to your TV using the Supplied RCA Cables.

Turn your TV On and select the AV source.

Connect the Power Cable to the Power Socket on the rear of the Karaoke System.

Insert the Power Cable Plug into the wall socket and switch the socket On. Load a CD+G disc into the Disc Tray.

Press the **STANDBY** button to turn the Karaoke System On.

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#### **Connecting external devices**

The Karaoke System can be connected to a number of external devices using the AUX IN socket on the rear of the Karaoke System. This requires a 3.5mm Stereo Cable (not supplied).

### 03 Daily use

#### Switching ON

- To turn the Karaoke System On, press the STANDBY button.
- To turn the Karaoke System Off, press the STANDBY button again.

#### **Mode selection**

The Karaoke System has the following modes of operation:

- Aux to listen to an external device
- CDG to listen to and view the lyrics from a CD+G
- iPod to listen to your iPod
- To select the mode, rotate the MODE DIAL to the desired position.

#### Using the microphone

Up to two Microphones can be used with the Karaoke System.

**DON'T FORGET!** Only one microphone is supplied with the Karaoke System.

- Insert the Microphone Jack into the MIC 1 or MIC 2 socket on the front of the Karaoke System.
- Slide the Microphone Power Switch to the ON position. The microphone is now On and ready to use.

#### **Connecting headphones**

You can use your own Headphones to listen to the backing tracks on the Karaoke System by inserting the Headphone Jack into the Headphone Socket on the front of the Karaoke System. **DON'T FORGET!** If the RCA Cable is connected between the Karaoke System and a TV, the backing track will play through the TV speakers.

Adjusting the master volume

- To increase the master volume, rotate the MASTER VOLUME DIAL on the front of the Karaoke System clockwise.
- To decrease the master volume, rotate the MASTER VOLUME DIAL on the front of the Karaoke System anticlockwise.

## Adjusting the microphone volume

- To increase the Microphone volume, rotate the MIC VOLUME DIAL on the front of the Karaoke System clockwise.
- To decrease the Microphone volume, rotate the MIC VOLUME DIAL on the front of the Karaoke System anticlockwise.

#### Adjusting the echo effect

An echo effect can be added to your voice while you sing. The amount of echo can be adjusted using the **ECHO DIAL**.

- To increase the echo, rotate the ECHO DIAL on the front of the Karaoke System clockwise.
- To decrease the echo, rotate the ECHO DIAL on the front of the Karaoke System anticlockwise.

### Daily use

## Mixing the Backing Track and Vocals

**DON'T FORGET!** This feature is only available when the **MUSIC/ KARAOKE DIAL** is set to Karaoke (vocals).

The bias or mix between the backing track and your vocals can be adjusted using the Auto Volume Control (AVC).

When the AVC is applied, the volume of the backing track is reduced while you sing. When you stop singing, the volume of the backing track returns to normal. The amount the backing track is reduced depends on how much AVC is applied.

- To increase the amount of AVC, rotate the AVC DIAL on the front of the Karaoke System clockwise.
- To decrease the amount of AVC, rotate the AVC DIAL on the front of the Karaoke System anticlockwise.

#### Cutting Backing Vocals while you Sing

The Karaoke System can be set to turn off the vocals of the backing track while you sing.

 To turn off the vocals of the backing track while you sing, rotate the MUSIC/KARAOKE DIAL to Karaoke (Vocals).

Whenever you sing, the vocals of the backing track will temporarily stop. When you stop singing, the backing vocals will be heard again.

#### To keep the vocals of the backing track while you sing, rotate the MUSIC/KARAOKE DIAL to Music.

Whenever you sing, the volume of backing track vocals will be reduced. When you stop singing, the volume of the backing vocals will return to normal.

## 04 CD+G playback

#### **Playing CD+G discs**

#### Loading discs

- Press the STANDBY button to turn on the Karaoke System.
- Press the top right hand corner of the Disc Tray to open.
- Insert the CD+G Disc into the CD Compartment with the label facing outwards.
- Olose the Disc Tray.
- When closed, the Karaoke System starts to spin the disc.
- The LED Display will show the total number of tracks on the CD+G.

#### Playback

- Press the / II button to begin playback. The backing track will begin to play and the lyrics will appear on the TV screen if connected.
- Press the > / II button again to pause playback. The Play/Pause indicator will flash on the LED Display.
- ③ Press the ►►I button to skip to the next track.

**DON'T FORGET!** If you are on the last track of the disc, the Karaoke System will return to the first track.

- Press the I dutton to skip to the previous track.
- O Press the button to stop playback.

#### **Repeat play**

You can repeat a single track or all the tracks on the CD+G disc.

#### Repeating a single track

- To repeat a single track, press the **REPEAT** button once. The Repeat indicator on the LED Display will begin to flash.
- ② The track will be played continuously until the button is pressed.
- To cancel the repeat function, press the REPEAT button continuously until the Repeat Indicator on the LED Display is no longer lit.

#### **Repeating the entire CD**

- To repeat all tracks, press the **REPEAT** button twice. The Repeat indicator on the LED Display will be lit.
- Ine entire disc will be played continuously until the button is pressed.
- To cancel the repeat function, press the REPEAT button continuously until the Repeat Indicator on the LED Display is no longer lit.

#### **Programming tracks**

You can programme the Karaoke System to play up to a total of 20 tracks in any desired order. You can also programme the same track to play several times within a programme sequence.

● While the Karaoke System is in the CDG mode, press the ■ button to stop playback.

## CD+G playback

- Press the PROG button. The Prog indicator will begin to flash and the number 1 will momentarily appear on the LED Display. This indicates that you can programme the first track.
- Select the first track using the ►► and I◄ buttons.
- Press the PROG button on the Karaoke System. The number 2 will momentarily appear on the LED Display. This indicates that you can programme the second track.
- Select the second track using the ▶► and I<< buttons.</li>
- Repeat steps 4 and 5 until all the tracks have been programmed.
- Press the >/ II button to begin playback. The backing track will begin to play and the lyrics will appear on the TV screen if connected.

**DON'T FORGET!** Playback will stop after all the programmed tracks have been played.

- ③ To replay the programmed tracks, press the PROG button followed by the ►/ II button.
- To cancel the programmed sequence from the memory, press the ■ button during playback.

### Audio CD playback

#### **Compatible disc types**

The Karaoke System supports playback of following types of CD:

- CD+G compact Disc
- 8cm/12cm Compact Disc Audio Discs
- 12cm Compact Disc Recordable Discs
- 12cm Compact Disc Re-Writable Discs

#### Playback

- Press the ►/ II button to begin playback. The first track will begin to play.
- Press the >/ II button again to pause playback. The Play/Pause indicator will flash on the LED Display.
- OPress the ►► button to skip to the next track.

**DON'T FORGET!** If you are on the last track of the disc, the Karaoke System will return to the first track.

- Press the I dutton to skip to the previous track.
- Press and hold the ►► button to fast forward within the current track.
- Press and hold the I button to fast rewind within the current track.
- Press the button to stop playback.





## 05 Using your iPod

#### iPod docking

Any iPods listed below can be connected to the Karaoke System allowing all your favourite songs to be played through the Karaoke Systems speakers. The iPod can be completely controlled by the Karaoke System and charges while docked.

#### Selecting an iPod model

To ensure that your iPod docks with the Karaoke System correctly, you must adjust the iPod Model Switch to give the correct back support to your iPod.

**DON'T FORGET!** iPod models that are not listed below can be docked by manually adjusting the iPod Model Switch to the required depth.

The following iPods are compatible with the Karaoke System.

- iPod Mini 1st Generation (4 Gb, 6Gb)
- iPod 4th Generation (20Gb, 40Gb)
- iPod 4th Generation Colour Display (20Gb, 30Gb, 40Gb, 60Gb)
- iPod Nano 1st Generation (1Gb, 2Gb, 4Gb)
- iPod 5th Generation Video (30Gb, 60Gb, 80Gb)
- iPod Nano 2nd Generation (2Gb, 4Gb, 8Gb)

 Insert and rotate a coin into the iPod Model Switch and rotate clockwise or anticlockwise to select your iPod Model on the Dock as shown below.



#### Docking your iPod

- Open the Dock Compartment by pulling the top edge towards you.
- To connect your iPod to the Karaoke System, feed your iPod through the top of the Dock Compartment and carefully push downwards.
- To remove your iPod from the Karaoke System, turn your iPod off, open the Dock Compartment and carefully pull it out of the Dock Compartment.



## Using your iPod

#### **Using your iPod**

The following instructions describe how to operate your iPod when it is connected to the Karaoke System using the Remote Control.

**DON'T FORGET!** The following features only work in iPod mode with an iPod docked.

#### Selecting iPod Mode

- Press the STANDBY button to turn on the Karaoke System.
- Select the iPod mode using the MODE DIAL.
- It o start playback, press the ►/ II button.

#### **Menu Navigation**

- To access the iPod menu system, press the **MENU** button.
- 2 Use the ▲ and ▼ buttons to highlight the menu options.
- Press the SELECT button to select a menu option.

#### **Selecting Albums**

You can select the next and previous albums on your iPod.

- To select the next Album, press the **ALBUM UP** button.
- To select the previous Album, press the ALBUM DOWN button.

#### **Selecting Chapters**

**DON'T FORGET!** This feature only works with iPods that have movie capability.

You can select the next and previous movie chapter on your iPod.

- To select the next chapter, press the **CHAPTER UP** button.
- To select the previous chapter, press the CHAPTER DOWN button.

#### **Selecting Playlists**

You can select the next and previous playlist on your iPod.

- To select the next track in the playlist, press the PLAYLIST + button.
- To select the previous track in the playlist, press the PLAYLIST button.

#### Selecting Tracks within a Playlist

You can select the next and previous playlist on your iPod.

- To select the next track in the playlist, press the ►►I button.
- ② To select the previous track in the playlist, press the I button.

## 05 Using your iPod

#### **Repeat play**

You can repeat a single Track, Album or Playlist or all the tracks on your iPod.

#### **Repeating a single track**

- To repeat a single track, press the **REPEAT** button once. The Repeat Once symbol will appear on your iPod display.
- The track will be played continuously.
- To cancel the repeat function, press the **REPEAT** button continuously until the Repeat symbol disappears from your iPod display.

#### Repeating an album or playlist

**DON'T FORGET!** This feature only works when your iPod is in Album or Playlist Mode.

- To repeat an Album or Playlist, press the REPEAT button twice. The Repeat All symbol will appear on your iPod display.
- The Album or Playlist will be played continuously.
- To cancel the repeat function, press the **REPEAT** button continuously until the Repeat symbol disappears from your iPod display.

#### Repeating all tracks on your iPod

**DON'T FORGET!** This feature only works when your iPod is in Music Mode.

- To repeat all the tracks on your iPod, press the **REPEAT** button twice. The Repeat All symbol will appear on your iPod display.
- All the tracks on your iPod will be played continuously.
- To cancel the repeat function, press the **REPEAT** button continuously until the Repeat symbol disappears from your iPod display.

#### Shuffle play

The tracks on your iPod can be played in a random order using the shuffle play feature.

- To turn shuffle play On, press the SHUFFLE button. The shuffle symbol will appear on your iPod display.
- To turn shuffle play Off, press the SHUFFLE button again. The shuffle symbol will disappear from your iPod display.

## Troubleshooting

## General

Problem	Possible Cause	What to do
No Power	1. The plug is not plugged into the wall socket.	1. Ensure the plug is plugged into the wall socket.
	2. The wall socket is not turned on.	2. Turn on the power at the wall socket.
The Karaoke System is not responding to the Remote Control	1. The Karaoke System is switched off at the	1. Turn on the power at the wall socket.
the Remote Control	wall socket. 2. The Remote Control	2. Direct the Remote Control towards the Karaoke System.
	is not directed at the Karaoke System. 3. The front of the	3. Ensure there are no objects obstructing the Karaoke System.
	Karaoke System is obstructed.	4. Replace the batteries in the Remote Control. See page 7
	<ol> <li>The Remote Control batteries are exhausted.</li> </ol>	for more information. 5. Ensure the batteries are correctly inserted into the
	5. The Remote Control batteries are incorrectly inserted.	Remote Control. See page 7 for more information.
No sound is heard	<ol> <li>The volume is on the minimum setting.</li> <li>Headphones are connected to the Karaoke System.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Increase the master volume.</li> <li>Remove the Headphones.</li> </ol>
There is no sound from the Karaoke	1. The CDG mode is not selected.	1. Select the CDG mode. See page 10 for more information.
System when playing CD+G discs	<ol> <li>The CD+G disc is inserted incorrectly.</li> <li>The master volume</li> </ol>	2. Insert the CD+G disc correctly. See page 9 for more information.
	is on the minimum setting.	3. Increase the master volume.

## 06 Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Cause	What to do
There is no sound when singing into the Microphone	1. The Microphone is not connected to the Karaoke System.	1. Connect the Microphone to the Karaoke System. See page 9 for more information.
	<ol> <li>2. The Microphone is not switched On.</li> <li>3. The Microphone Volume is on the minimum setting.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Switch on the Microphone.</li> <li>Increase the Microphone Volume.</li> </ol>

CD

Problem	Possible Cause	What to do
The CD does not play	<ol> <li>The CD is incorrectly loaded.</li> <li>The CD is an unsupported format.</li> <li>The CD is paused.</li> <li>The Karaoke System is not in the CDG mode.</li> <li>The CD is dirty or scratched.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Ensure the CD is correctly loaded into the CD Tray. See page 9 for more information.</li> <li>Check the format of the CD is supported. See page 13 for more information.</li> <li>Press the ►/ II button to continue playback of the CD.</li> <li>Select the CDG mode using the MODE DIAL on the unit.</li> <li>Make sure the CD is not dirty or scratched. If it is dirty, clean the CD with a soft cloth.</li> </ol>
CD Sound Skips	<ol> <li>The CD is dirty.</li> <li>The CD is warped or scratched.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Clean the CD with a soft cloth.</li> <li>The CD should be replaced.</li> </ol>

## Troubleshooting

#### iPod

Problem	Possible Cause	What to do
The iPod is unstable in the Dock.	1. The iPod Model Switch is set to the incorrect setting.	1. Select the correct setting using the iPod Model Switch.
iPod does not respond to inputs from the Karaoke System.	1. The iPod is not docked correctly.	1. Ensure the iPod is correctly docked. See page 14 for more information.

## Need extra help?

Don't worry we are just at the other end of the phone. If you are experiencing problems using your new product, before returning it to the retailer, just call **0871 230 1777.** 

## Need a spare part?

In the unlikely event of you needing spare parts, please contact our spares department on: **0871 230 0790** 

## 07 Specifications

Model Number	XB7CDGIP
Power Supply	230V AC 50Hz
	8 x LR14 C Type 1.5V batteries (not included) Alkaline is recommended for longer life
Power Consumption: Standby Operating Nominal Use	0.831W 28W 21W
Frequency Response	100 - 10,000 Hz (+/- 3db)
Power Output	2W x 2 (10% THD)
Speaker	3" 4 ohms
Microphone	60 dB 600 ohms impedance with 6.3mm dynamic microphone
Unit Dimensions	165 (D) x 220 (W) x 290 (H) mm
Unit Weight	2.65 kgs

#### Warnings

#### WEEE

This appliance is labelled in accordance with European Directive 2002/96/ EG concerning used electrical and electronic appliances (Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment - WEEE). The guideline determines the framework for the return and recycling of used appliances.

#### **Sound levels**

Your hearing is very important to you and to us, so please take care when using this Karaoke System. It is strongly recommended that you follow the listed guidelines in order to prevent possible damage or loss of hearing.

#### Establish a safe sound level

Over time your hearing will adapt to continuous loud sounds and will give the impression that the volume has in fact been reduced. What seems normal to you may in fact be harmful. To guard against this **before your hearing adapts**, set the volume to a low level.

Slowly increase the level until you can hear comfortably and clearly and without distortion. Damage to your hearing is accumulative and is irreversible. Any ringing or discomfort in the ears indicates that the volume is too loud.

Once you have established a comfortable listening level, **do not increase the sound level**.

#### **General safety**

This Karaoke System has been designed and manufactured to meet European safety standards, but like any electrical equipment, care must be taken if you are to obtain the best results and safety is to be assured.

Do read these operating instructions before you attempt to use the Karaoke System.

Do ensure that all electrical connections (including the mains plug, extension leads and interconnections between pieces of equipment) are properly made in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.

Switch off and remove the mains plug when making or changing any connections.

Do consult your dealer if you are ever in doubt about the installation, operation or safety of your Karaoke System.

Don't continue to operate the Karaoke System if you are ever in doubt about it working normally, or if it is damaged in any way. Switch it off, withdraw the plug from the mains and consult your dealer.

Don't remove any fixed covers as this may expose you to dangerous voltages.

Don't leave the Karaoke System switched On when it is unattended for long periods of time, unless it is specifically stated that it is designed for unattended operation or has a standby mode.

## 08 Warnings

Make sure that other people in your household are conversant with the Karaoke System.

Don't obstruct the ventilation vents on the Karaoke System, for example with curtains or soft furnishings.

Don't allow electrical equipment to be exposed to rain or moisture.

Store the Karaoke System in a clean, dry environment.

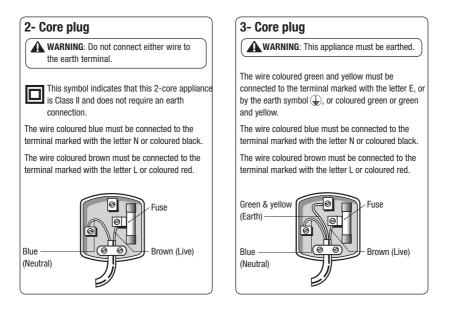
Do not use any cleaning solutions on the Karaoke System.

## **Electrical information**

The mains lead supplied with this Karaoke System is fitted with a BS1363/A 13 amp plug. If it is not suitable for your supply sockets it must be removed and replaced with an appropriate plug. If the plug becomes damaged and/or needs to be replaced please follow the wiring instructions below. The plug removed must be disposed of immediately. It must not be plugged into a supply socket as this will be an electrical hazard. If the fuse needs to be replaced it must be of the same rating and ASTA approved to BS1362. If the plug is changed, a fuse of the appropriate rating must be fitted in the plug, adapter or at the distribution board. If the fuse in a moulded plug is replaced, the fuse cover must be refitted before the appliance can be used.

## Wiring instructions

The supply cable will be either 2-core or 3-core. Follow the appropriate wiring instructions given below. In both cases ensure that the outer sheath of the cable is firmly held by the cable clamp.



## 10 Guarantee

The Karaoke System is guaranteed for twelve months from the date of original purchase. If any defect due to faulty materials or workmanship, contact the Goodmans Helpline. Have your receipt of purchase on hand.

The guarantee is subject to the following provisions:

- It is only valid within the boundaries of the country of purchase.
- The product must be correctly installed and operated in accordance with the instructions contained in this User Guide.
- The Karaoke System must be used solely for domestic purposes.
- The guarantee will be rendered invalid if the Karaoke System is re-sold or has been damaged by inexpert repair.
- The manufacturer disclaims any liability for incidental or consequential damages.
- The guarantee is in addition to, and does not diminish, your statutory or legal rights.



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